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I believe I am the original, first, and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first, and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the inventive design entitled

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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, \$120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, \$112, I acknowl dge the duty to disclose material information as

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United states Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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and hereby grants its power of attorney to MARTIN & FERRARO, LLP, Thomas H. Martin, Reg. No. 34,383: Amedeo F. Ferraro, Reg. No. 37,129; and Todd M. Martin, Reg. No. 42,844; both jointly and separately as its attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation to prosecute this application, and all divisions, and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon, and all reissues thereof, and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith, and to receive the Letters Patent.

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